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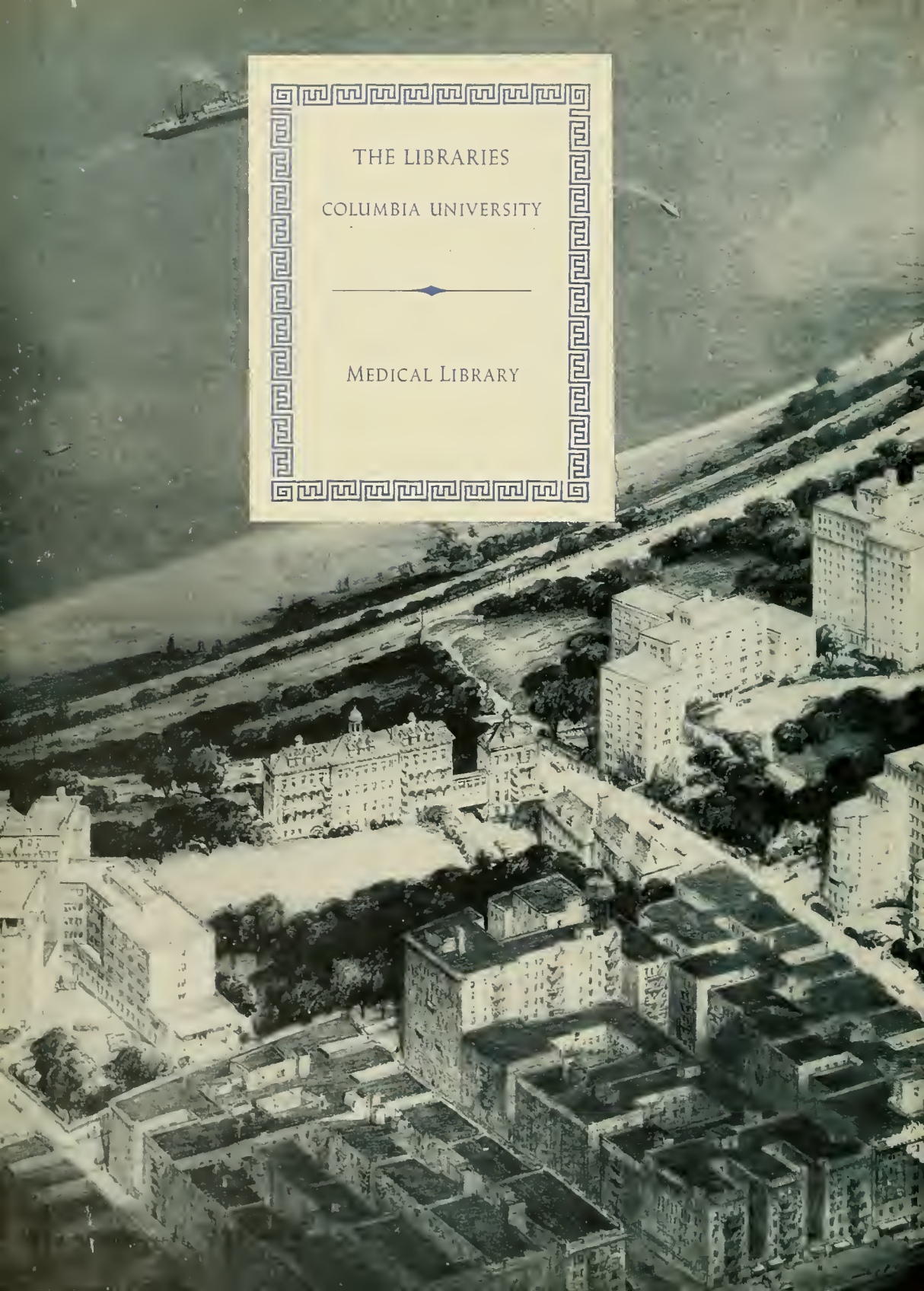

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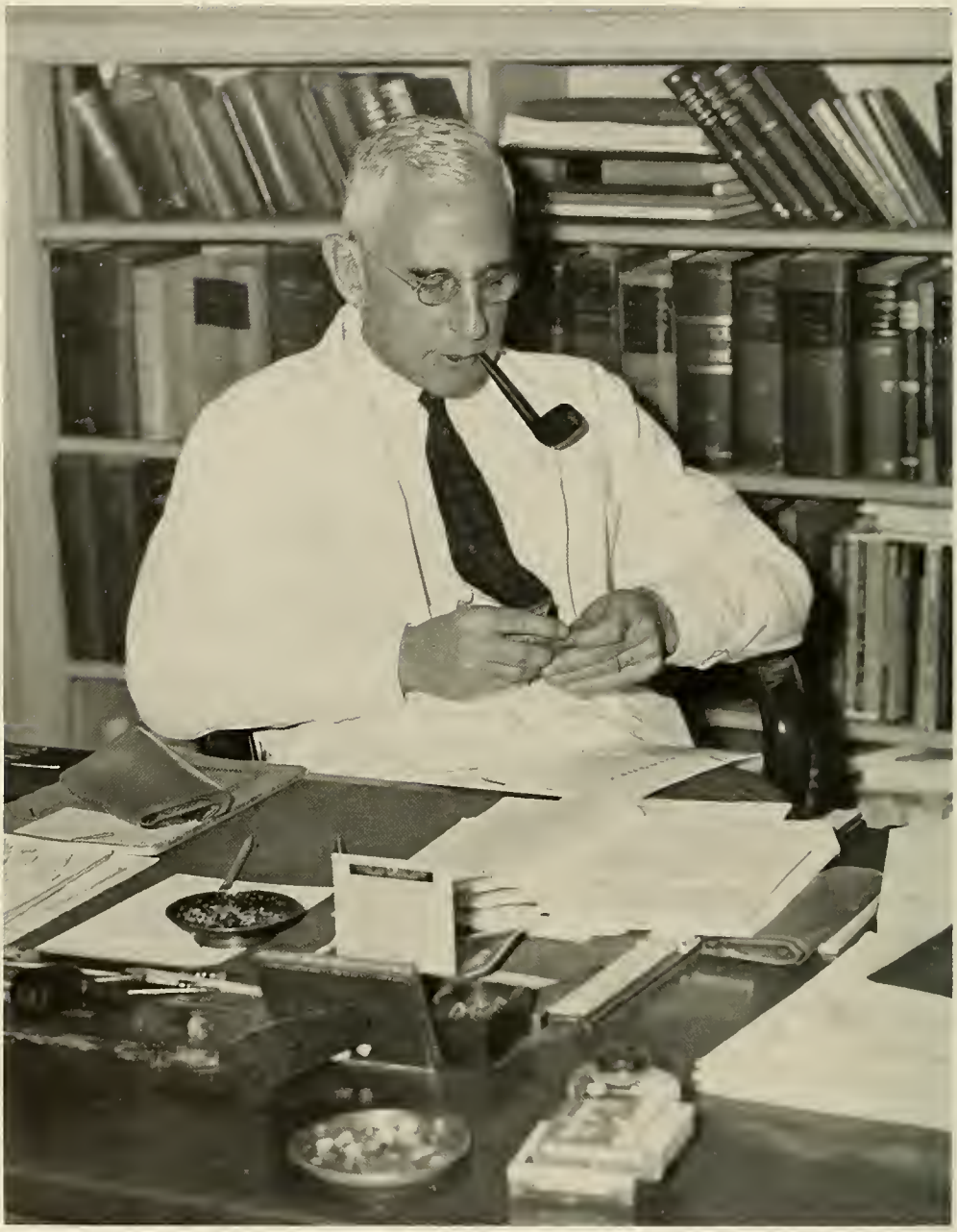

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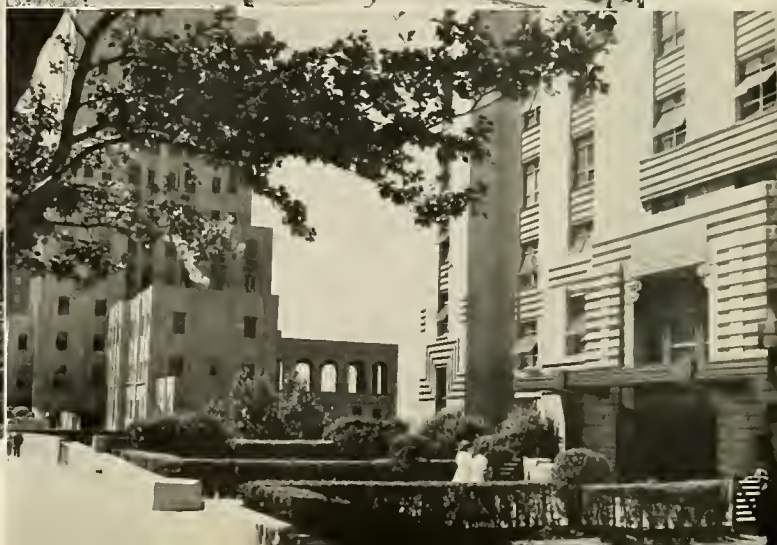

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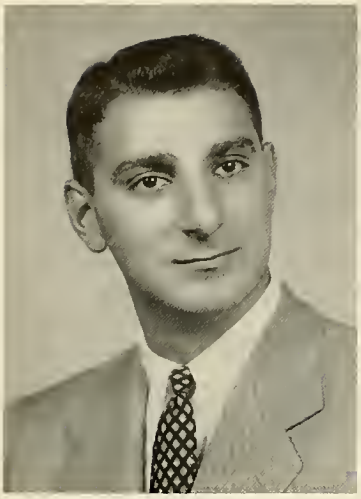

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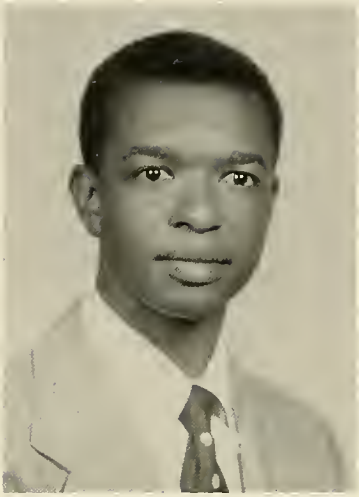

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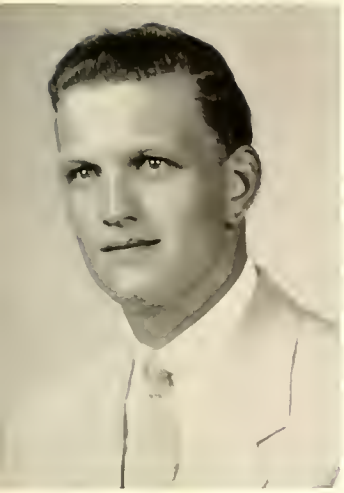

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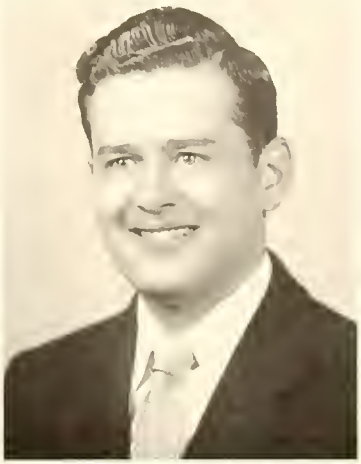

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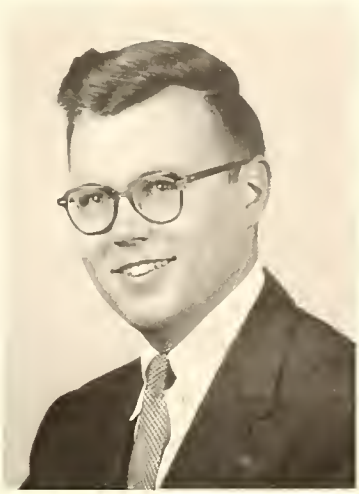

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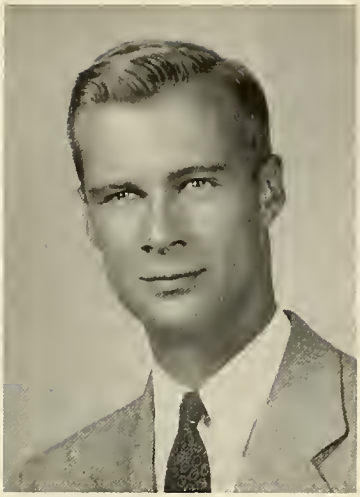

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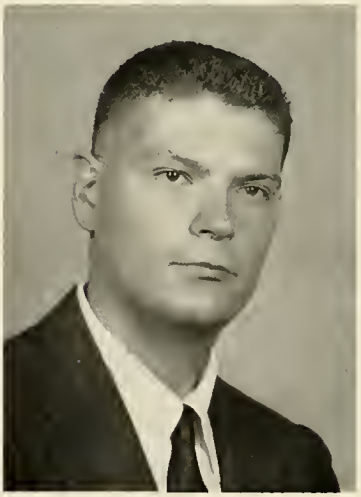

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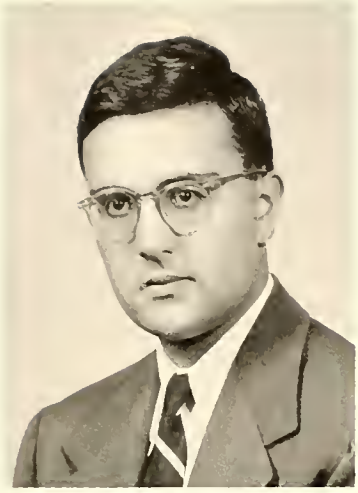

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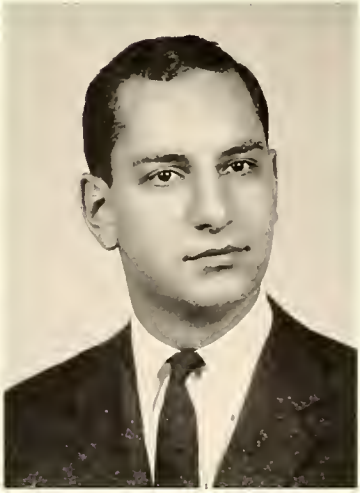

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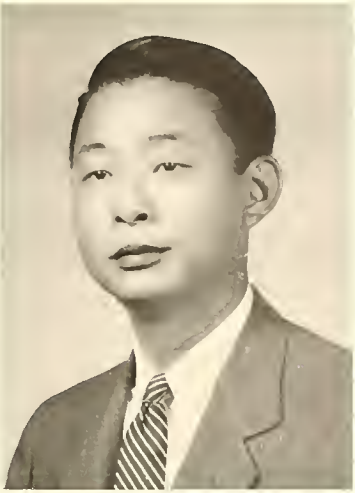

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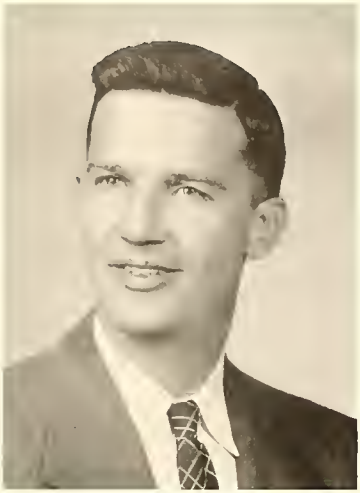

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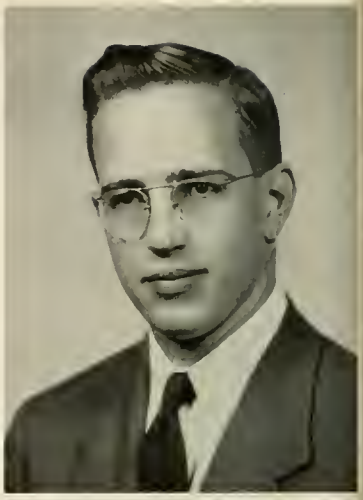

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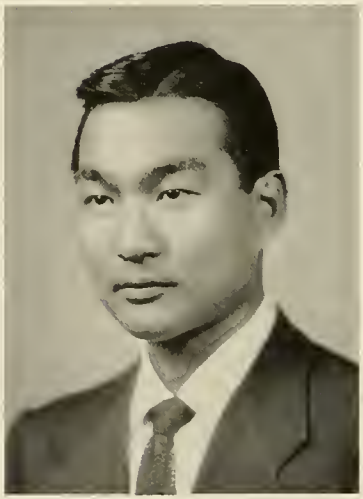

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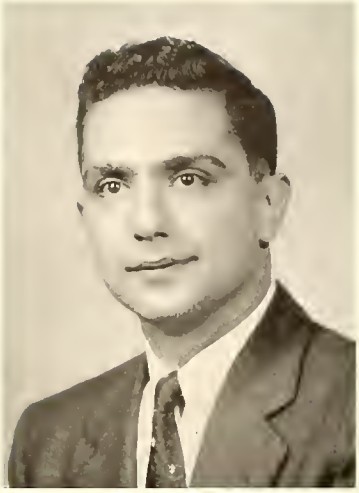

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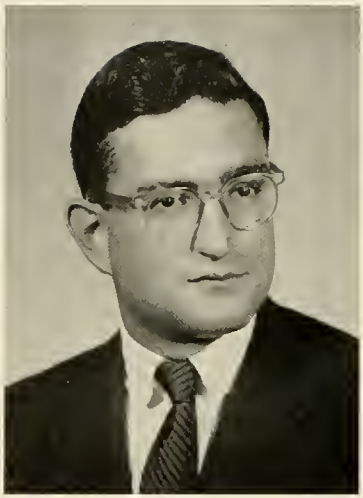

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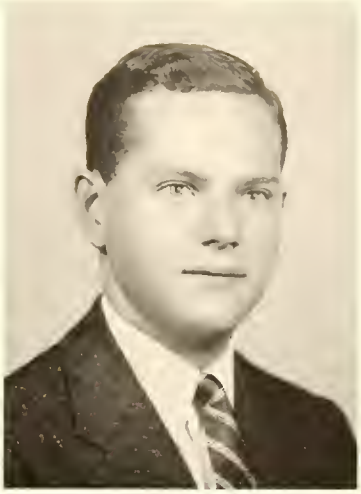

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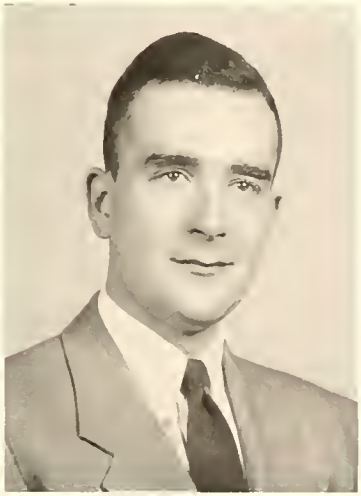

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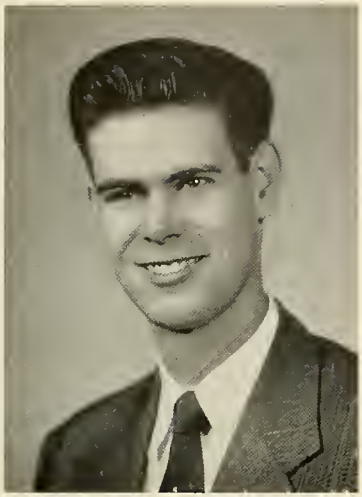

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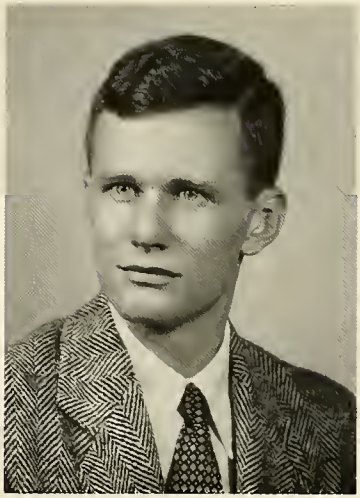

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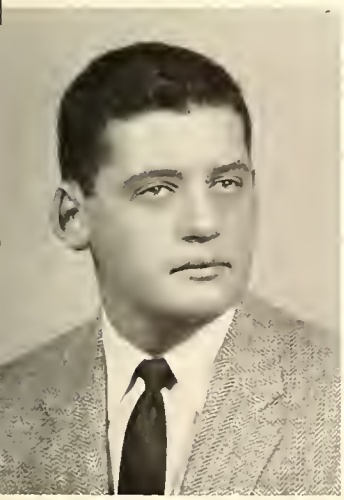

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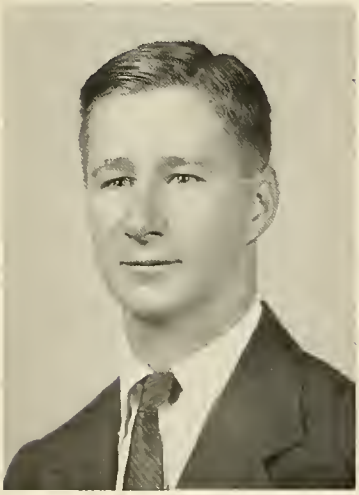

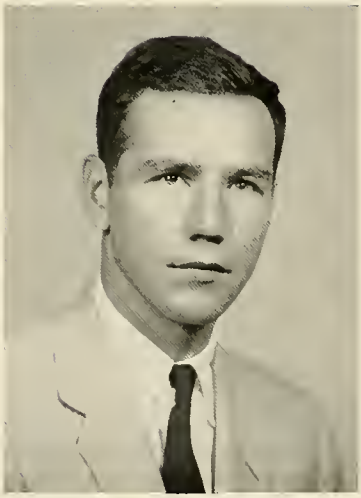

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*Above:* "One heart"—"Two fingers"

*Left:* "Come out—you're up next"

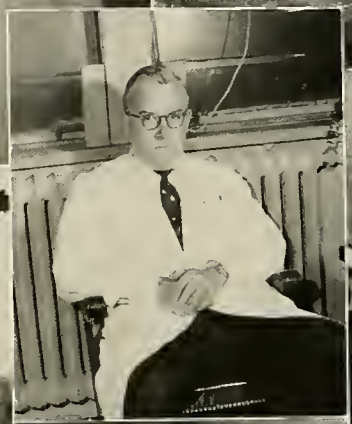
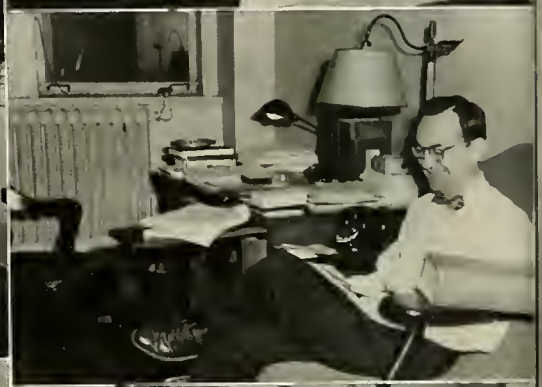
*Top right:* Relaxing between contractions

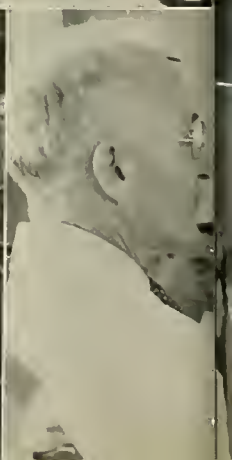
*Top left:* Birds of a feather

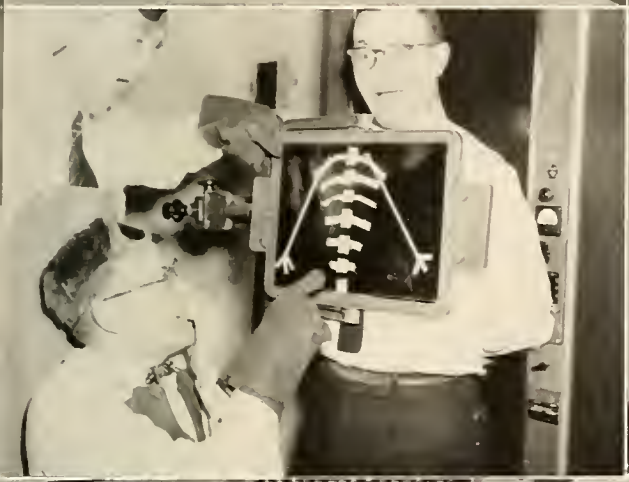
*Top right:* Engagement party

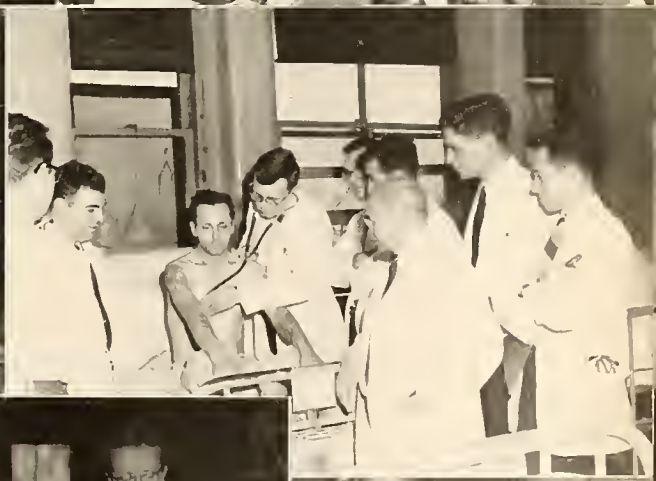
*Bottom left:* "Howord pregnant?—I don't believe it!"

*Bottom right:* "Thank you, Nurse."







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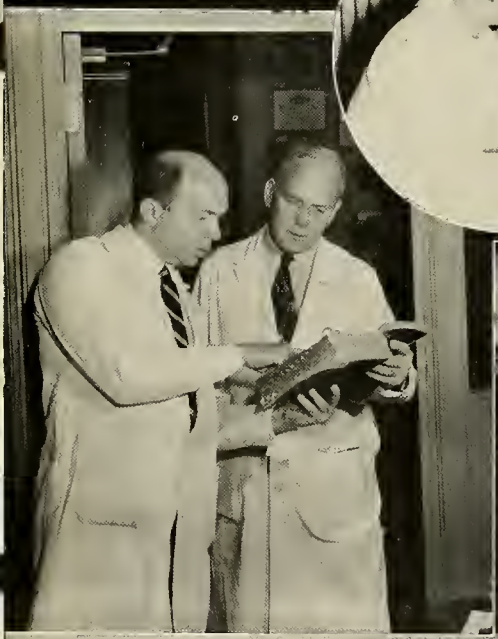
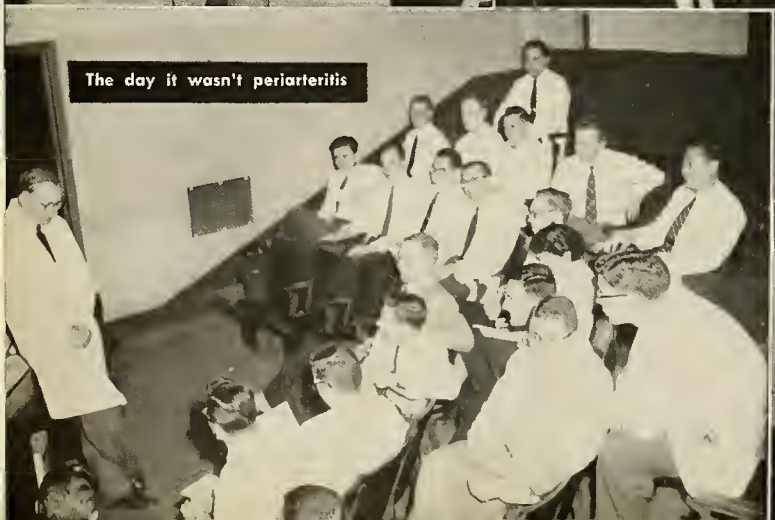
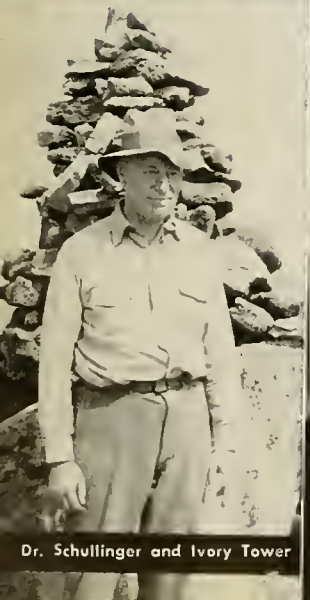




The day it wasn't periarteritis

After a liter of Mudge Solution . . .

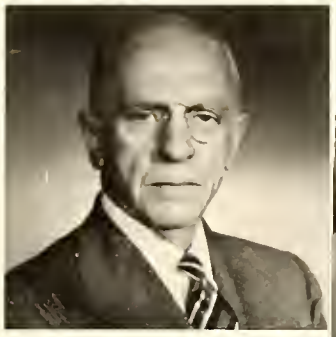
No tears?



Dr. Schullinger and Ivory Tower

Teamwork on the eighteenth floor

# Of Men and Books



CECIL—

and LOEB

GOODMAN—

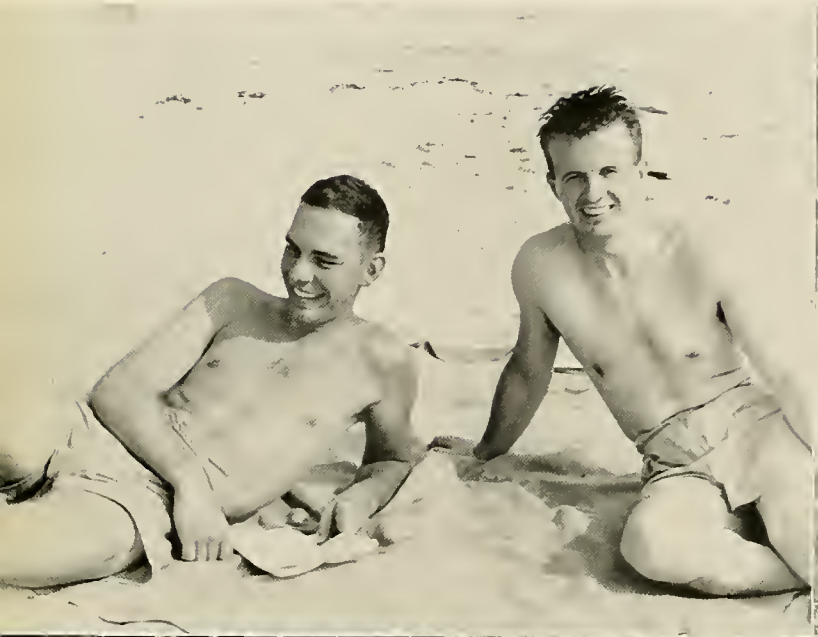
and GILMAN

A portrait of Dr. George F. Cahill, Professor of Urology who is retiring in June after 36 years of teaching. Dr. Cahill is Director of the Squier Urological Clinic and President of the American Urological Association.

HOLT—

and McINTOSH

# On Vacation



Fearless Felix

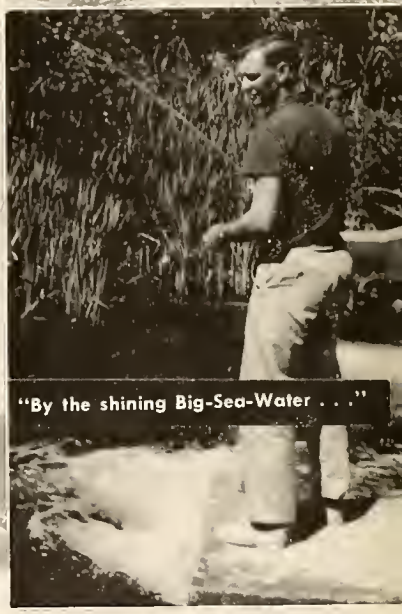
Ta-packeta!, Ta-packeta!

DeVault: "I'd walk a mile for a cactus."

" 'Aalp!"

"By the shores of Gitchee-Gummee . . ."

"Hush, the naked bear will hear thee!"



"By the shining Big-Sea-Water . . ."

# Doctor and Missus—

Leon, Ruth, and Warren

The Redleafs

The Wunderlichs

Harriet and Howie

The Eberlys

Dick and Bobbie

The Elias Family

Warren, Joan, and Robbie

Joe and Marcia

How young America lives

Paulene and Bob Roth

The Piersons

Alex and Susi

The Fisher family

The Griswolds at home

Bob and Jimmy-Nell

Dorsey, Ima, and Teal

The best-kept secret of the year!

Eleonor and Jack

Mr. and Mrs. Rochester, Mrs. Rogers, and Mrs. Bergen

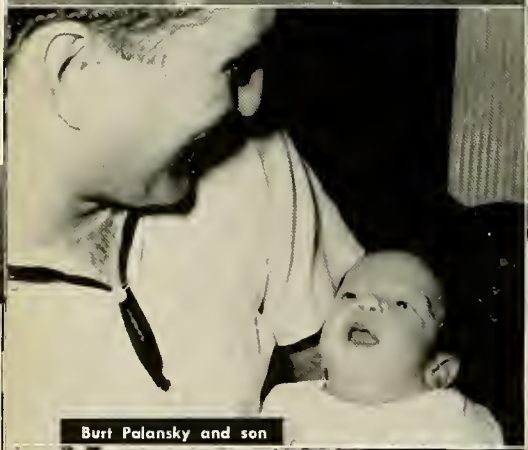
Mr. and Mrs. Adams

Ann and Edith Bishop

Dave and Barbara Marshall

The Worcester Family

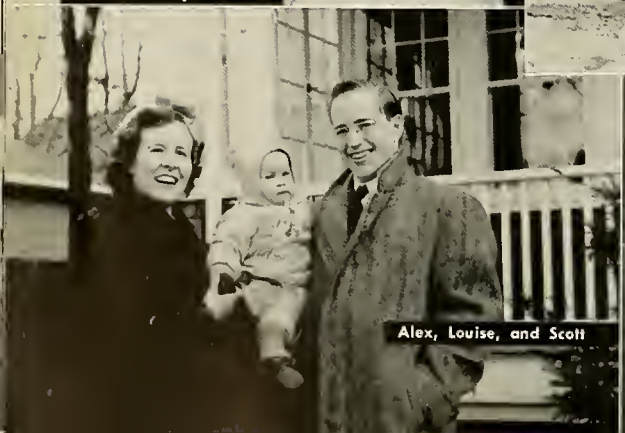
Skip, Madeline, and Barbara A


Burt Polansky and son

The Rosetts

The Rawcliffes

Emil and Dorothy


Alex, Louise, and Scott

Stan and Judy

# Strictly Non-alcoholic

"WILSON — that's all!"

# In Memoriam

JOHN ROBERT WEST III

October 20, 1917-June 29, 1954

WITH the death af Jahn R. West, an June 29, 1954, we last ane of aur mast brilliant, mast able, and most belaved yaung men.

John West came ta the College of Physicians and Surgeons in 1940, having received his earlier educatian at the United States Naval Academy at Annapalis, and the University af Flarida. He graduated fram P & S with the class af 1943. At the end af his fourth year he married a classmate, Miss Rejane M. Harvey. He toak his internship an the First Medical Divisian at Bellevue, then was in active military service until the War ended, returning to camplete his resident training at Bellevue. In these years he became greatly interested in cardiopulmanary research in Dr. Cournand's labaratary; and in the fall af 1948 came ta the Presbyterian Haspital an a Life Insurance research fellawship, ta wark with Dr. Eleanar Baldwin in the Cardiapulmanary Laboratory. He became directar af this Labaratary in 1951.

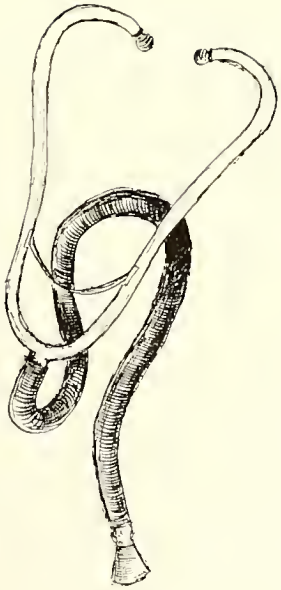
Jahn West was an autstanding man, cambining an extraordinarily keen and versatile mind, an absalute integrity af character, and a personality at ance generaus, friendly, and whally unassuming. As a clinician he was widely and accurately informed, discerning, resaurceful, and unfailingly kind; as a teacher clear, searching, yet sympathetic and gaod-humared; as a friend companianable, witty, always gaad campany, always interested, considerate, and layal.

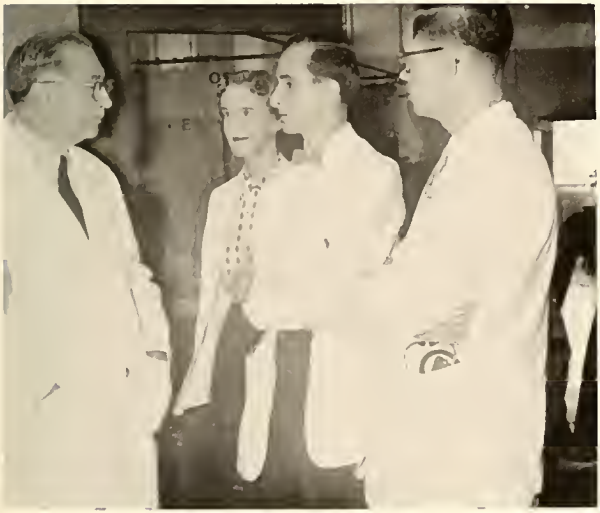
In his research labaratory he was in his special element. His technical ability was astonishing: he seemed able ta make anything he wanted, and did in fact canstruct ar design most af the recarding equipment in the Labaratory. He mastered physiolagical theory with equal ease, and was always at wark simplifying and extending existing ideas. His published papers, an various aspects of the physialagy of chranic pulmanary or cardiac disease, were saund contributians, althaugh they never fully represented his rapidly develaping capacities. In his quiet, aften casual manner, he was a constant stimulus ta his team-mates, and indeed ta all his many friends active in research. Working with John West was a rare experience; it was a liberal educatian in experiment, and it was great fun.

Recagnitian of his ability and increasing stature as a scientist was just beginning. He had accepted numeraus invitations as speaker and as authar. He was ta have been pramated ta an assistant prafessorship in medicine. In May he was elected to membership in the American Saciety far Clinical Investigation. He alsa was appainted an Established Investigatar of the American Heart Assaciation. Through the spring manths, however, he was increasingly incapacitated by the symptoms af leukemia, which he had had far almast a year. He died, suddenly, of a cerebral hemarrhage.

D. W. R.

# Third Year





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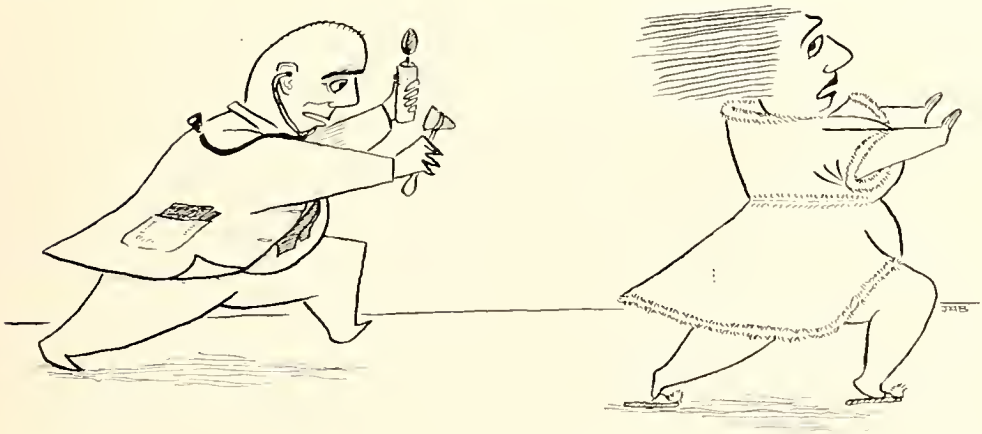

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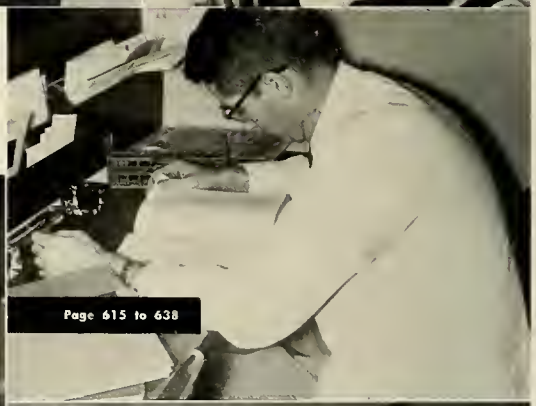
9:45 a.m.



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10:00 a.m.

11:55 a.m.

"Ten more frozen syringes!"

1:05 p.m.

"Honestly, the ESR was 235!"

4:00 p.m.

Grade Four Student

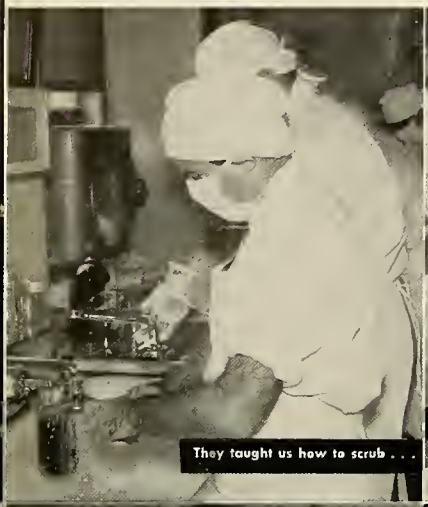
12 midnight

"Oh goody!-Another venous pressure!"

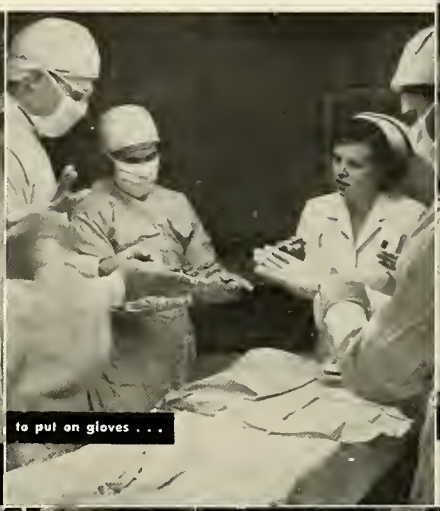
5:30 p.m.

"From Here to Eternity"

# Surgery



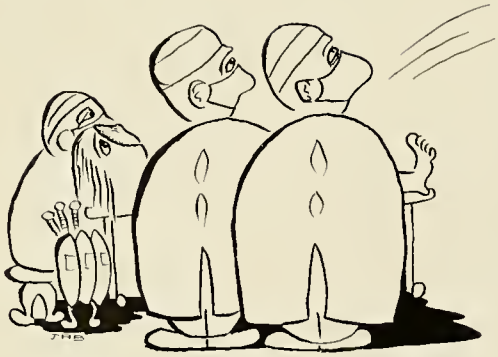
They taught us how to scrub . . .



to put on gloves . . .

to tell a scalpel from a trochar without a score card . . .

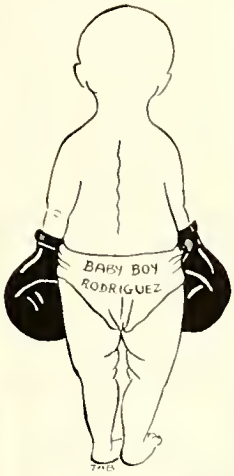
and to put people to sleep.



". . . As a Stranger

# Pediatrics

"And then Mike Hammer's gat barked twice!"



"Were you a NFTSD?"

The Happy Family

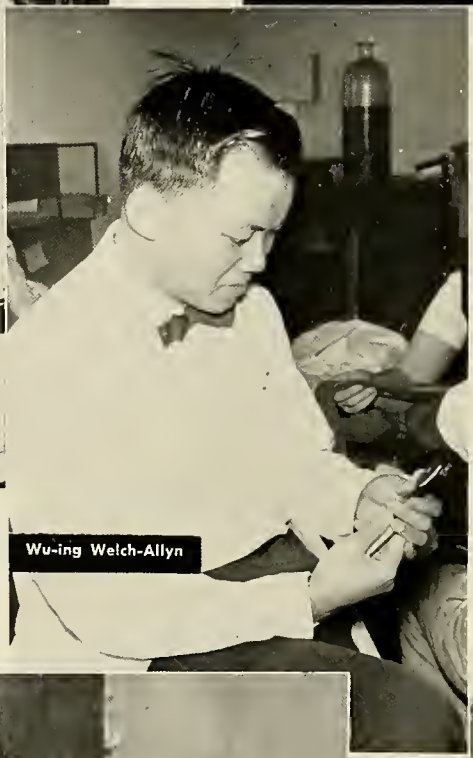
Rapport?

"Is she toilet-trained yet, Mrs. Smith?"

# Specialities

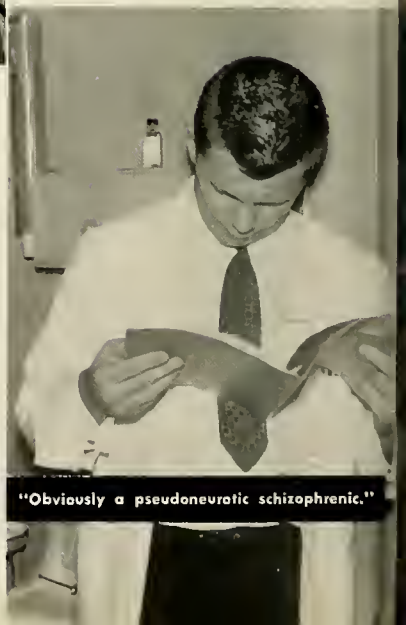
Cherry-red spot?

Noon Lecture (Subject: Pre-prandial distress)



Wu-ing Welch-Allyn

The Coach



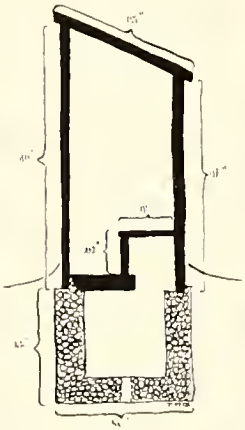
"Obviously a pseudoneurotic schizophrenic."

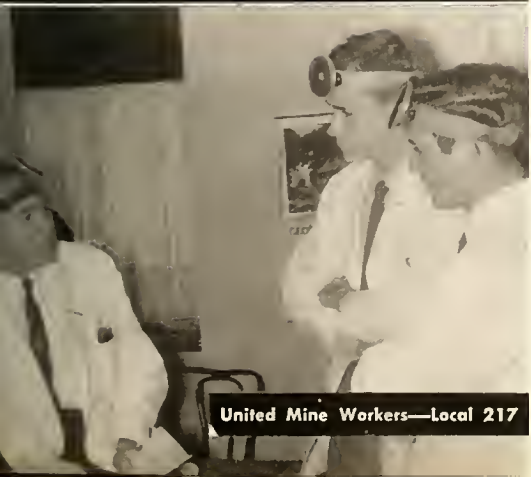
Oral orientation

and the fifth level of prevention . . ."

"Then you take the 145th Street bridge . . .

"Well, it's got more pictures than the Merck Manual"

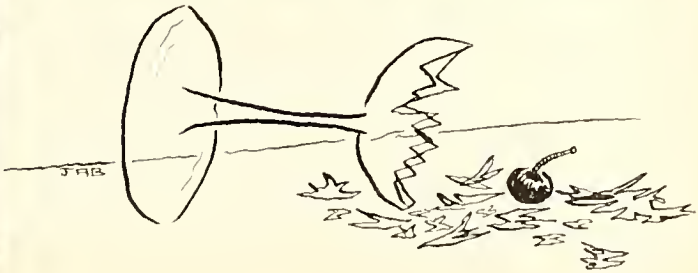




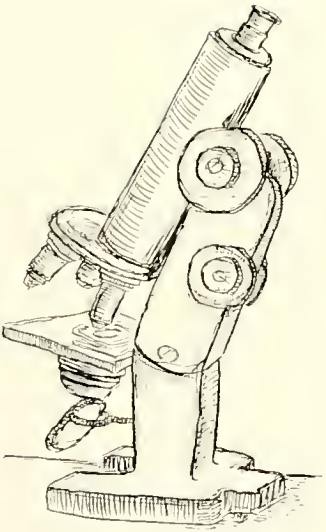
United Mine Workers—Local 217

Impression: "Allergic Rhinitis"

# Elective


JHB

# Second Year



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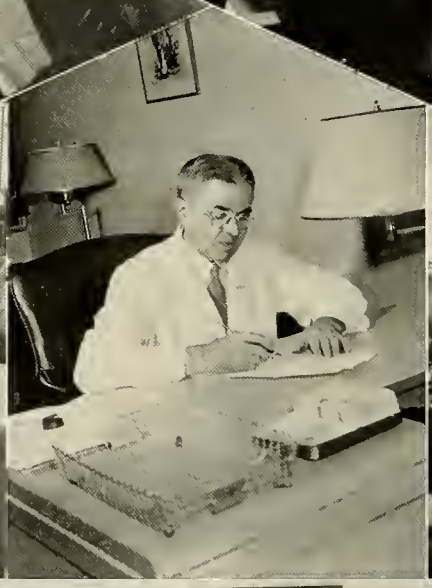
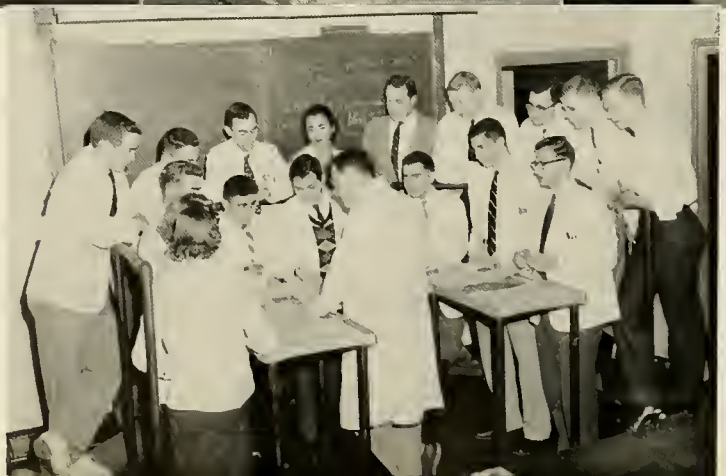
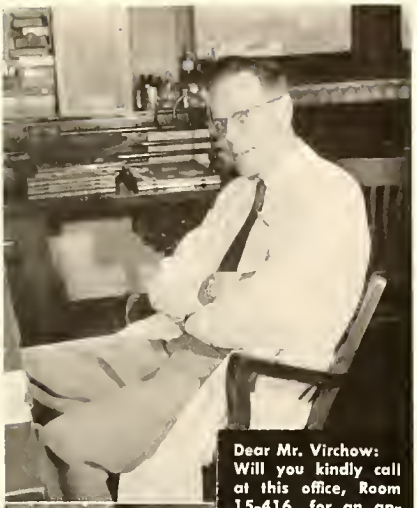
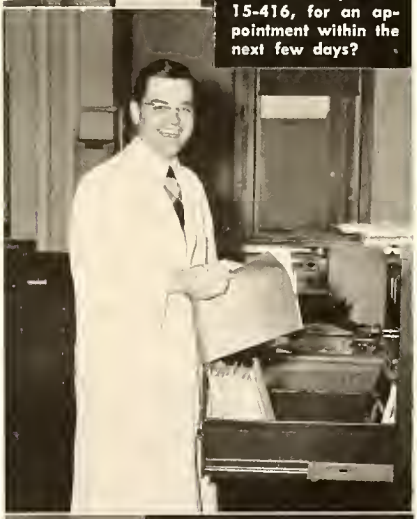
# C.P.C. . . . Colossal Pathology Course







Hyperplasia in Technicolor

# C.B.C. . . . Chronic Bloody Confusion

"What you think you got here . . . tiger?"

Doin' Wright

"Never fear, Ormsby's here!"

# S.B.E. . . . Superior Bacterial Education

Staph conference

Hold that rabbit!

Here's Howe

# E.S.R. . . . Every Stool Revealing

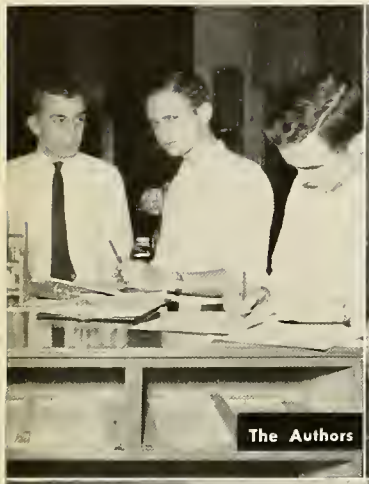
"Bubble, bubble, urine trouble!"

Tapeworm and Leach

Parasitic Invasion

Ova and ova again

# B.P.H. . . . Best Performance Hereabouts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A Rank Production

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The Critics

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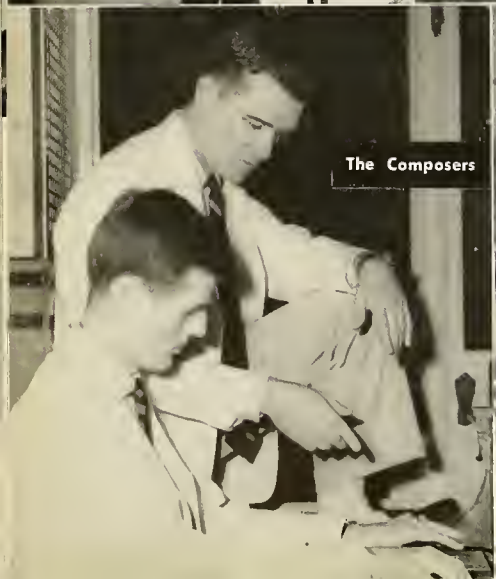

The Composers

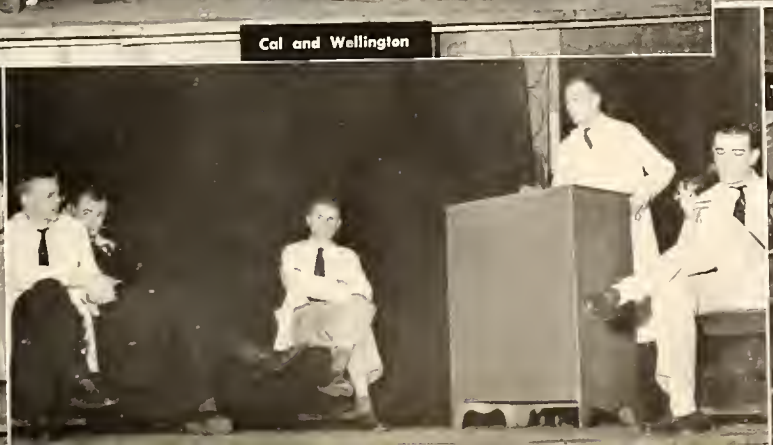
The Pus-Makers

It takes two . . .

Fakir?

Cal and Wellington

Armful



Two armfuls

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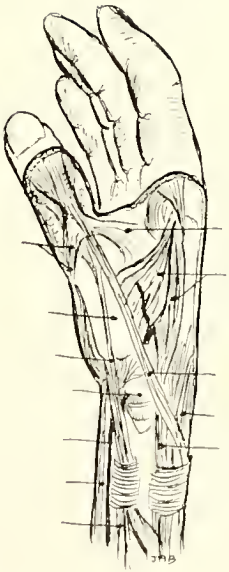

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*First row:* Evelyn Birkeland, Howard Raffworg, Ronald Miller, Samuel Barondes, Norman Talal, Mary Ellen Beck. *Second row:* Byong Mok Kim, David Carson, John Ashworth, Sim Seides, Oliver Leland, Carl Weiss, Hamayoun Kazemi, Alan Aran, Alan Lazerson. *Third row:* Benjamin Santoro, Werner Edelmann, Thomas Morris, Barry Galton, Donald Lindberg, Fredric Edelman, James Weir, Kenneth Farde.

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*First row:* Joseph Kantor, Paul Kantrowitz, Arnold Gilbert, Lawrence Green, Ernest Wacker, Harry Delaney. *Second row:* Arlan Gottlieb, Benjamin Landau, James Jewell, Uriel Barzel, Mark Izard, Donald Barth, John Brackett. *Third row:* Richard Timmons, James Brown, Lawrence Jurkowitz, Philip Zeidenberg, Herrick Ridlon, James Finkelstein, Carl Pellman, Robert De Bellis.

## BOTTOM

*First row:* Elise Wechsler, Richard Watson, Daniel Collins, Virginia Dulany, Robert Sherry, Evelyn Gaynor. *Second row:* Herbert Cooper, George Clift, Richard White, Stephen Malowisto, Winslow Hunt, Karl Perzin, Richard Nesti, Harry Crogo, Andrew Patterson, Lawrence Bales. *Third row:* Robert Schoefer, William Weir, Boudinot Stimson, William Dodd, Edwin Bronsame, Charles Neave, Karl Burger.

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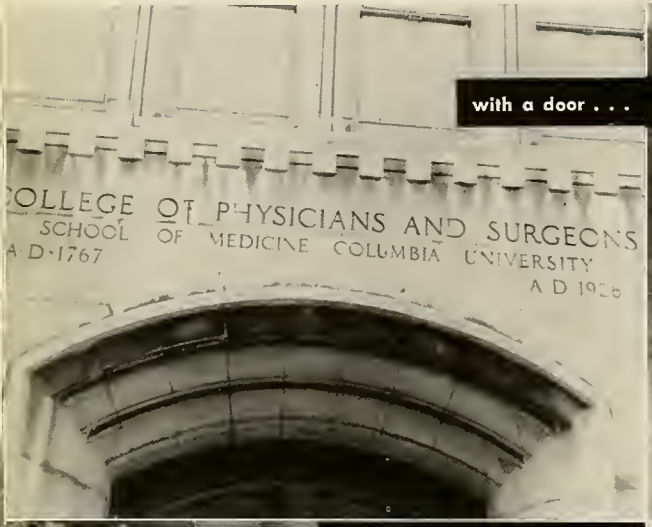


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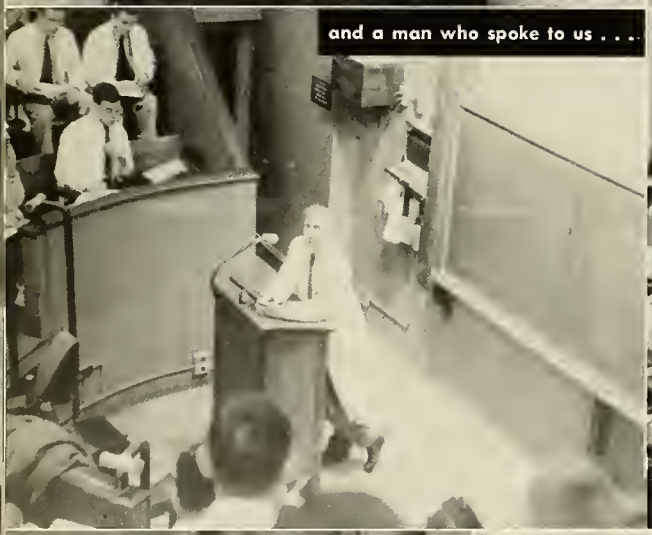
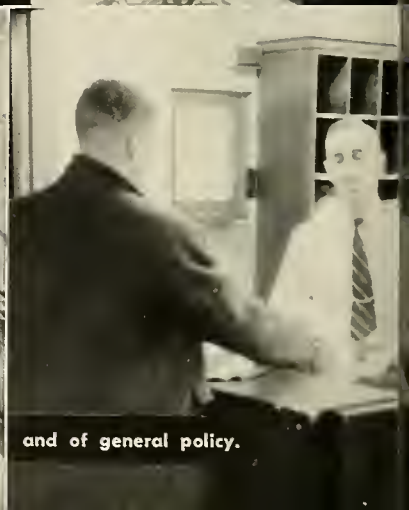
a waiting elevator . . .



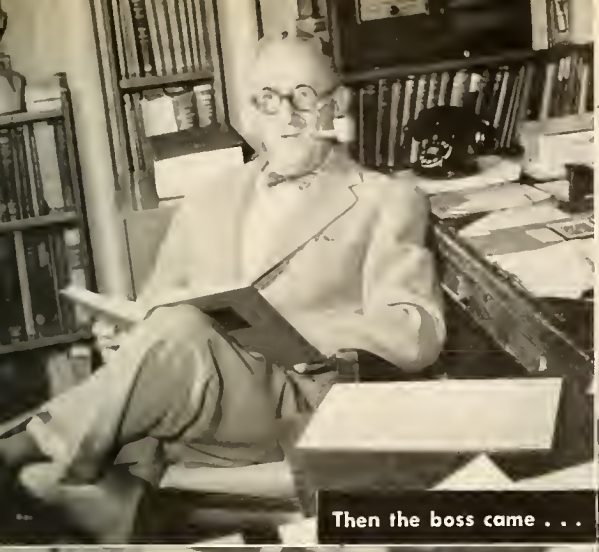
and a man who spoke to us . . .

of things upstairs . . .

of hard times . . .

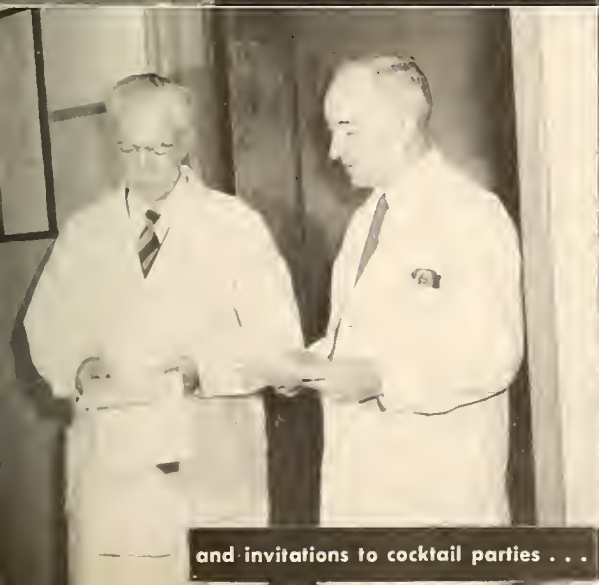


and of general policy.



Then the boss came . . . and things began to get dark.

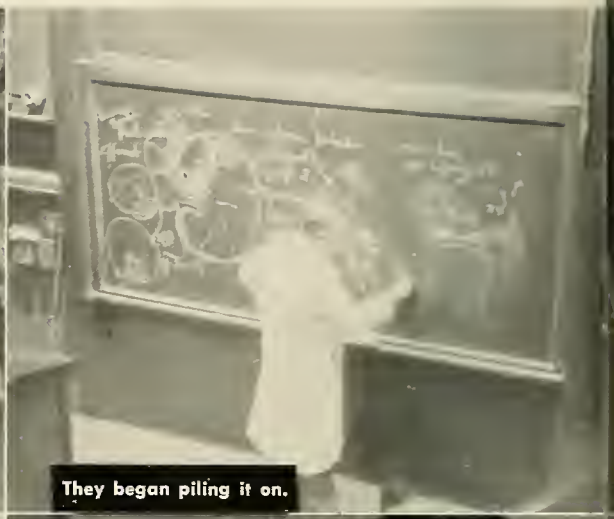
But there were bright moments . . . and Charlie . . .



and invitations to cocktail parties . . . and everybody began to make friends.

# It Wasn't Long Before—

things began to get tough.



They began piling it on.

Hard men made for hard times . . .

and we found ourselves studying . . .

at the strangest times . . .

and in the strangest places.

We boned up . . . and tried to keep our heads . . .

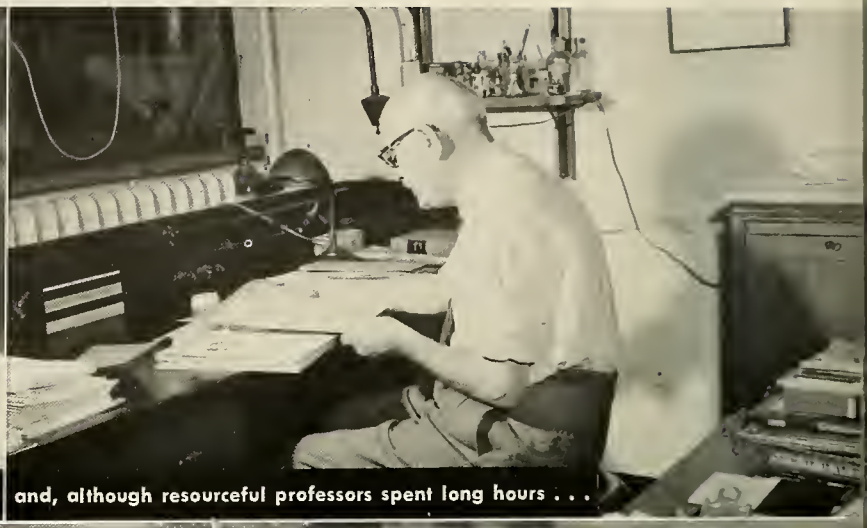
but sometimes we turned tail.

There were always correlation clinics . . .

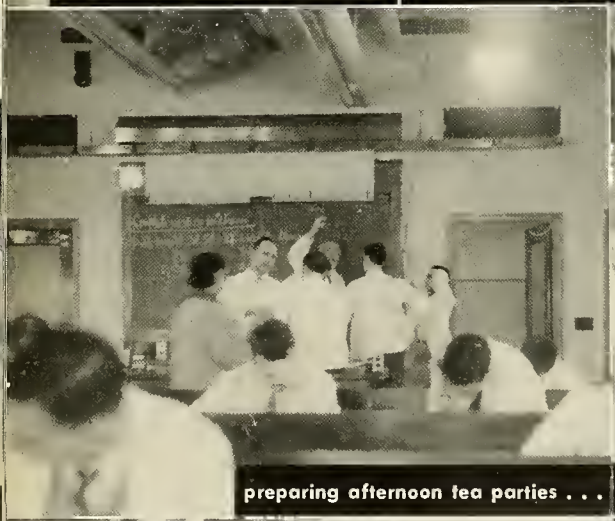
and we kept on making friends.

# Having Weathered The Storm—

Things were all smiles again . . .



and, although resourceful professors spent long hours . . .



preparing afternoon tea parties . . .

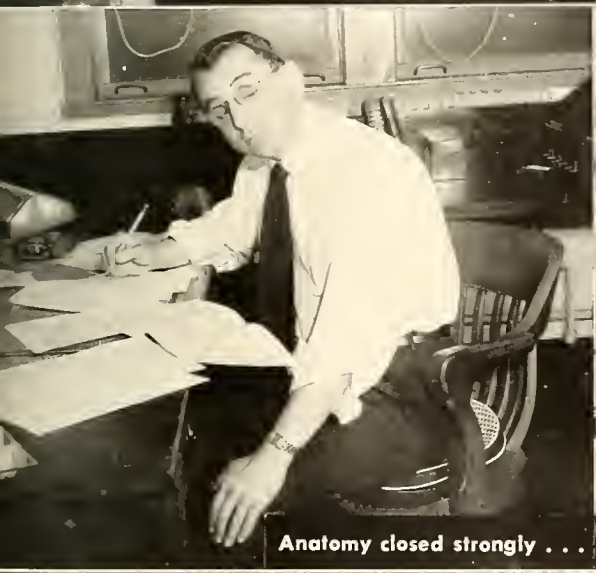
the coffee break retained its popularity.

There were meetings of the local chamber of commerce . . .

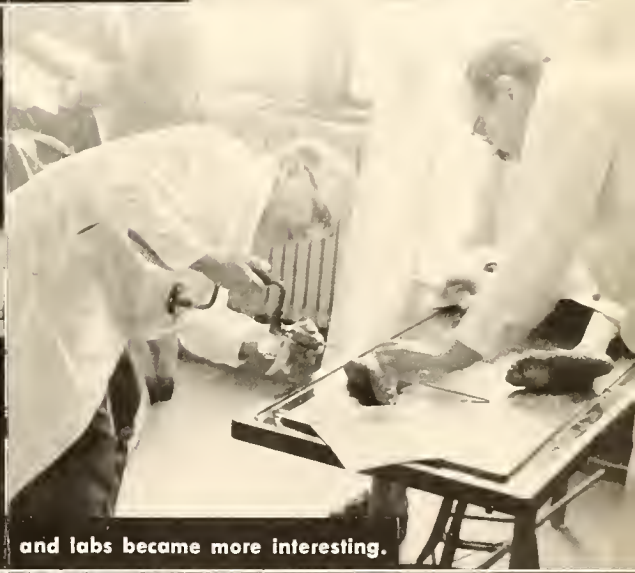
and small party caucuses.

Funds were solicited for the class show.

In the end . . .

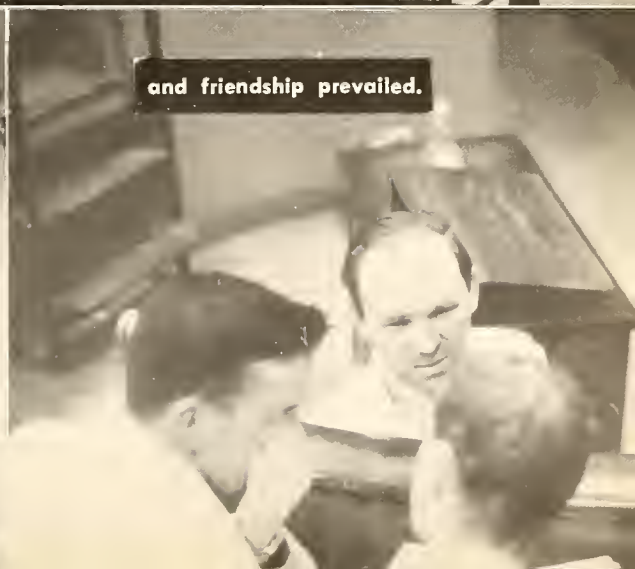


Anatomy closed strongly . . .



and labs became more interesting.

Beer was spilled freely . . .



and friendship prevailed.

# Happy Days Were Here Again—

and parties were in style.

There were still ups and downs . . .

but the situation remained fluid . .

and scholarship persisted . . .

to the very end.

Spring semester found those politically inclined . . .

rallying support . . .

and party bosses . . .

sprung up everywhere.

Biochemistry . . .

elicited new interest.

We now had well tangled friendships . . .

and an ear towards the future.

# The Gallery

"THE DOCTOR'S SON"

*Symbolic of earliest beginnings, the naive anecdote—the Baby reaches for his Father's stethoscope.*

NUMBER ONE

"THE DYING HARE—A BOY'S DEDICATION TO HEALING"

*The Boy has mortally wounded a Hare. Overcome with remorse, he wishes he could make whole the creature he has destroyed. And so the wish becomes a resolve and a dedication.*

NUMBER TWO

"MEDICAL EDUCATION—THE BEDSIDE LECTURE"

*Medical Students are given preliminary glimpses of the relationship between Doctor and Patient. As yet, however, for them it is a world apart. This has been suggested by the formal device of two perspectives—one plane for the Doctor and Patient in the foreground, and another for the Student Group.*

NUMBER THREE

"THE DOCTOR"

*Arbiter of birth, healer of the sick and maimed, comforter of the aged.*

NUMBER FOUR

"THE DOCTOR IN WAR"

*This was composed with some of the earlier religious pictures, the "Pietas" in mind. The Doctor and Nurse as ministering angels incline above the suffering figure in the foreground. The desperately wounded worker, whose posture suggests crucifixion, is supported by his fellow men in the background.*

NUMBER FIVE

"RESEARCH HEROIC—THE SELF-INNOCULATION"

*In the search for new serums to prevent or cure disease, heroic doctors, unwilling to endanger others, have experimented on themselves.*

NUMBER SIX

"DOCTOR'S HERITAGE"

*From the old and wise to the young and eager, for always new horizons—the Book, the Skull, the Globe and the Test-tube, as symbols of Knowledge, the endless battle against Death, the World as province, and in the Test-tube the future of Medicine.*

NUMBER SEVEN

# Life around the Quad

*First row:* Alexis Burland, Charles Tulevech, Edward Burka, Charles Bucknam, Bodley Stites. *Second row:* David Andrews, Michael Hogan, Frederick Pasternack, Neil Clements, Thorpe Kelly, King Curtis, Peter Westerhoff. *Third row:* Christopher Hodgman, Howard Triedman, Jaroslav Hulko, Charles Griege, Louis Putnam, Howard Taylor, Robert Goodale.

# N Σ N

UNDER the capable guidance of Ed Burka et. al., the Iota Chapter of NU SIGMA NU has had one of the most successful years in its long history. We were pleased to welcome as new members twenty men from the first year class, thanks mainly to Charlie Bucknam and his rushing committee. A very successful initiation dinner was held, with Dr. Harold W. Brown, Professor of Parasitology, intriguing all with tales of his Far Eastern travels.

Veep Chuck Tulevech represented the chapter at the National Convention in Galveston this year. At that meeting, Dr. Robert F. Loeb, well-known University employee, was named an honorary national officer. Chuck and Lou "Dr. Dutton" Putnam also represented the chapter at the Eastern Conclave held at Yale.

Credit goes to Al Burland who cleverly juggled the books this year and kept us out of trouble with the bank, and to Bod Stites, who, with the help of his trusty mimeograph machine has kept all abreast of NU SIG activities.

But the high point of our activities this year has been a long list of the most successful dances the fraternity has seen in quite a while. To Keepers of the Keg Ray Mutter and Bill Dodd; to bartender Sterling "Buy 'em by the Two's" Tignor; to promoters Jack "The Artist" Sciarra and John "Make 'em Pay" Richardson; and to the watchful eye of Ed "Shylock" Burka; the success of these is largely due.

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| *Vice-President* | Charles Tulevech |
| *Secretary* | Bodley Stiles |
| *Treasurer* | Alexis Burland |
| *Rushing Chairman* | Charles Buckman |
| *Historian* | John Richardson |
| *Keepers of the Keg* | Ray Mutter, William Dodd |

OLD MEMBERS NOT PRESENT IN PHOTOGRAPH:

*Fourth Year.* Stanley Bergen Jr., Joseph Bilbao, Walter DeVault Jr., Richard Eberly, William Everett, Dozier Fields Jr., John Griswold, Scott Halstead, John Heggie, Lawrence Kratzer, Robert Langmann, George Nesbitt, James Ranck Jr., Gerald Renthal, Armstead Robinson, Dudley Rochester, Henry Rogers, George Selly, Julian Smith, Frederick Wheelock, John Wilson, James Worcester. *Third Year:* Paul Black, Putnam Brodsky, Edward Brown, Roy Brown, Charles Chastain, Jere Davidson, Keith Dawson, Charles Donaldson, Thomas Federowitz, Donald Gleason, William Healey, Robert Hirsch, Burton Lee, Bruce Lewis, Carl Meier, Philip Miller, Thomas Moore, Howard Nay, Howard Radwin, Joseph Silverman, Arne Skilbred, Robert Tyson, Morey Wosnitzer. *Second Year* Stephen Chandler, John Hermann, Richard Hyde, Robert Leach, Moses Mahai, Vert Mooney, Alan Osborne, Eric Strauss, Sterling Tignor, William Wheeler.

NEW MEMBERS

William Atwood, Robert Blahut, Edwin Bransome, Richard Dale, Jerome Dougan, James Hardy, Peyton Harris, Richard Hnot, Donald Hofreuter, Ronald Miller, Thomas Morley, Richard Nesti, Herrick Ridlon, Benjamin Sontoro, William Snyder, Boudinot Stimson, Carter Strickler, Robert Van Cleve, Richard Watson, Richard White.

*First row* Richard Cruess, Andrew Frantz, Richard Pierson, Peter Rowley. *Second row* Richard Bettigole, John Sciarra, John Richardson, John Rathe, Donald Wilcox, Robert Ambrose, Pier Mancusi-Ungaro, William Rhangos, Dennis Lafer. *Third row* Carl Lyle, Robert Bertch, Edward Donielski, Richard Freeman, William Dodd, Raymond Mutter, John Roberts.

*First row.* Alphonse Masi, Richard Elias, Daniel Pettee, Donald Watt. Second row: Fred Lagamarsina, Mark Winfield, Gerald Litsky, Vernon Wendt, Edwin Rudinger. *Third row:* Simon Ohanessian, Wendell Hatfield, John Bonome, Robert Gilbert, Richard Copenhaver.

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MEMBERS NOT PRESENT IN PHOTOGRAPH

*First Year:* John Brockett, Herbert Cooper, Robert Crago, Frederic Edelman, Alan Lazerson, Norman Talal. *Second Year:* Vincent Bono, Gordon Brown, Hugo Deaton, George Droke, Evans Roberts, Robert Raven, Robert Walzer, Frederick Zuckerman. *Third Year:* Peter Barry, Raymond Bartlett, James Casey, Lealand Clark, Frank Council, Ronald Feldman, Jerry Jacobs, Donal Kaderabek, Richard Kaufman, John Leddy, Robert Maslansky, Jerome Montana, Robert Montroy, Ralph Richter, Charles Sickles, Alfred Vandersluis, Clyde Wu. *Fourth Year:* Felix Battat, Robert Bishop, Donald Brown, William Ciarovino, Norman Cobert, Quentin DeHaan, Arthur Gordon, Alan Kaplan, Maxwell Lai, Daniel Leary, James McCartney, David Marshall, Robert Rawcliffe, Harvey Resnik, Richard Rifkind, David Sampson, Tracy Scudder, Robert Sheridan, Joseph Stacks, Ray Wunderlich.

OFFICERS

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| *Presiding Senior* | David Sampson |
| *Presiding Junior* | Peter Barry |
| *Secretaries* | Raymond Bartlett and Alfred Vandersluis |
| *Treasurer* | Richard Kaufman |
| *Editor* | Evans Roberts |
| *Judge Advocate* | Donald Watt |
| *Whip* | Alfred Vandersluis |

PHI CHI, the largest medical fraternity in the country, is represented at P & S by the Upsilon Sigma Chapter. This group has established a distinguished record of social and academic service to the college since its instillation in October, 1929, and many of its members have gone on to fill important positions in this and other institutions. In addition, the chapter maintains active contact with other PHI CHI chapters in the city through the gala intrafraternity dance held at Bard in the late winter-early spring season.

The '54-'55 activities started with a vigorous rushing program under the leadership of John Boname. The result was an outstanding group of first and second year pledges.

The Dinner Meeting Committee, with Robert Gilbert and Daniel Pettee at the helm, arranged a highly provocative and informative series of lectures. Outstanding among these were the talks given by Professors J. Lawrence Pool and Alfred Gilman.

The year has also seen a series of unusually successful song fests, smokers, and dance parties (the "Hallaween Howl," the PHI CHI Fling," and the December Song Fest just to mention a few) and credit is due to Joseph Stacks, Charles Sickles, and Alfred Vandersluis for their capable management of the festivities. Donald Watts contributed his musical talents and Raymond Bartlett his decorating genius.

*First row:* Donald Gerber, Fred Katz, Robert Osnos, Stanley Finke. *Second row:* Robert Grossman, Norman Ertel, Daniel Kimberg, Hans Boruch, Earle Hammer, Theodore Robinson, Barnett Miller, Ronald Altman. *Members not present in photograph:* Stephen Barrett, Karl Burger, Bard Cosman, Gurston Goldin, Richard Herrmann, Marvin Jassie, Norton Kolomeyer, Nathan Kosovsky, Ronald Linsky, Henry Rosett, Robert Schaefer, Robert Silbersweig, Harold Spalter, Arthur Strauss.

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| *Consul* | Fred Katz |
| *Vice-Consul* | Robert Osnos |
| *Scribes* | Stephen Barrett and Arthur Strauss |
| *Treasurer* | Stanley Finke |
| *Historian* | Donald Gerber |
| *Senior Senators* | Henry Rosett and Harold Spalter |

THE Gamma Chapter of PHI DELTA EPSILON marked its 49th anniversary at P & S this year, as well as the 50th anniversary of the national fraternity, with a series of outstanding lectures and a full social program.

The fraternity's annual lectureship, the Clay Ray Murray Memorial Lecture, was held by Professor Charles K. Friedberg of P & S, whose subject was Cor Pulmonale. This spring the 1955 lecturer was Dr. Barry Wood, Professor of Medicine at Washington University in St. Louis.

Continuing its series of informal dinner meetings, the chapter opened the 1954-55 year with Dr. Alan F. Guttmacher, Clinical Professor of Obstetrics and Gynecology, as its guest of honor speaking on Multiple Pregnancies.

In its role as host to local chapters of PhiDE from other medical schools, Gamma has continued its customary gala spring ball held in the Bard Hall lounge. In addition the chapter has had several dances in the P & S Clubroom.

Forays into the surrounding women's colleges have continued to be part of the PhiDE program.

The group visited Vassar and Adelphi in 1954 and Barnard several times in 1955.

The Gamma Chapter was one of the host chapters to the 50th anniversary convention of PhiDE held at the Waldorf Astoria December 26-28, 1954. (See photograph below.)

Scene at the Gala Golden Anniversary Ball of PhiDE.

Buddy Savetz

*First row:* Ellen Newman, Alan Feld, Bard Cosman, James McCartney, Richard Rifkind. *Second row:* Andrew Frantz, Arthur Verdesca, Ray Wunderlich, Richard Brunstetter, John Heggie, Alphonse Masi, Donald Marcus, Paul Redleaf, Anthony Tramontozzi, Daniel Pettee. *Members not present in photograph:* Jane Heitmann, Dudley Rochester, Robert Roth, Robert Silbersweig.

# Alpha Omega Alpha

ALPHA OMEGA ALPHA is the national medical honor society. Scholarship and character are the basis of membership. The Columbia chapter of AOA was established in 1907, five years after the organization was founded at the University of Illinois. Our chapter numbers among its members many leaders in the medical profession. This year our group sponsored public addresses on the relation of potassium to alkalosis and on the personality structure of physicians in general and specialized fields. It is through the presentation of such lectures, through the recognition awarded to distinguished efforts in the field of medicine, and through the high standards of achievement fostered in its members that the society justifies its motto: "Worthy to serve the suffering."

OFFICERS

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| *President* | Bard Cosman |
| *Vice-President* | James McCartney |
| *Secretary* | Robert Silbersweig |
| *Treasurer* | Richard Rifkind |
| *Banquet Director* | Alan Feld |

# Omega Club

THE Omega Club is a society composed of forty-five undergraduate members from the second, third and fourth year classes, faculty members and about six hundred graduate physicians practicing throughout the country. It was founded in 1892; its activities have alternated between academic and social functions. During the past few years they have been chiefly social and have consisted of several cocktail parties each year and an annual banquet.

*First row* Andrew Frantz, Saran Janas, David Andrews, Richard Pierson. *Second row* William Rhangas, Robert Wallace, Michael Hagan, John Roberts, Michael Lazar, King Curtis, Raymond Mutter, Dwight Robinson, Alexis Burland, Charles Buckman, Barnett Miller. *Third row* Pete Ormsby, Maya Johnson, Carl Lyle, Badley Stites, Vert Mooney, Harvey Zarem, Charles Burkhart, Peter Rowley. *Members not present in photograph* Putnam Brodsky, Edward Brown, William Ciaravino, Richard Eberly, Thomas Federawicz, William Healy, Alan Kaplan, Eugene Kelly, Nathan Kasavsky, Maxwell Lai, Robert Langmann, Burton Lee, Thomas Moore, Howard Nay, Hubert Pritchard, Louis Putnam, Henry Rogers, Robert Speir, Howard Taylor, Peter Westerhoff, James Worcester.

# Student Council

*Left to right:* Joroslav Hulko, Richard Elias, Robert Goodale, Janet Kuehner.

THE Student Council is the official legislative bady of the callege and is camposed af the officers of the faur classes with the officers of the senior class presiding. Dr. Rappleye and Dr. Severinghaus are members af the council ex afficio.

The largest project which the Council handles is the annual "course criticism" which enobles students to make suggestians and recammendatians cancerning the P & S curriculum, and which keeps bath students and faculty aware of the need far cantinual revisians in order ta maintain a high level af medical educotian .

# Bard Hall Residents' Council

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| *President* | Alan Feld |
| *Vice-President* | Susan Carver |

The Bard Hall Residents' Cauncil, campased af elected representatives fram each floar and faur members-at-large, functions as the student governing bady af Bard Hall.

*First row:* John Sciorro, Alon Feld, Janet Kuehner, Suson Corver. *Second row:* Fred Lagomarsino, Theodore Robinson, Gerald Lilsky.

*Members not present in the photograph:* Hugo Deoton, Brown Dennis, Andrew Frontz, Claire Liochowitz, Jerome Montona, Ronold Miller, Lowrence Norton.

# Student Faculty Social Committee

A SELF-APPOINTED committee composed of representatives from each class, the main purpose of this group is to provide a time and place for faculty and students to meet socially without the pressures of the hierarchy. The Student Faculty Cocktail Party is famous for the cheapest 5-to-1 martinis in town—an accomplishment which attracts many devotees.

Recent Student Faculty Cocktail Party at Bard Hall.

*First row:* Richard Cruess, Janet Kuehner, Sylvia Cruess, Putnam Bradsky. *Second row:* John Roberts, Carl Lyle, Robert Campbell. *Absent:* William Weir.

*First row:* Stephen Malawista, Daniel Pettee, Michael Hagan, Alexis Burland, John Davis. *Second row:* Benjamin Santora, Robert Stuckey, William Hitchcock, William Kane, Charles Neave, William Dodd, Robert Ambrose, Robert Speir, Robert Goodale, William Rhangos.

# The Bards

THE years pass by and each one adds to the ever-swelling throng of Bards four or five new members. The Bards continue to represent the only vigorous extrocurricular group that embraces all four years of medical school and an active alumni program as well.

What do the Bards do? They sing! They sing to themselves, they serenade their lady friends, they enrapture the young women's college circuit and they bring enjoyment and nostalgia to collections of alumni at the annual P & S Alumni Dinner. And in between, they become doctors. At Christmas-tide, they carol in the hushed halls of Presbyterian Hospital to the quiet and the sick. In the spring, they hoist their glasses high with honored alumni in boisterous songs at their annual Banquet. In fine, a young, civilized group; an active singing group; a credit to themselves and their school; a vanishing breed.

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*Second Year.* Alan Osborne, John Roberts
*First Year:* Virginia Dulaney, Richard White

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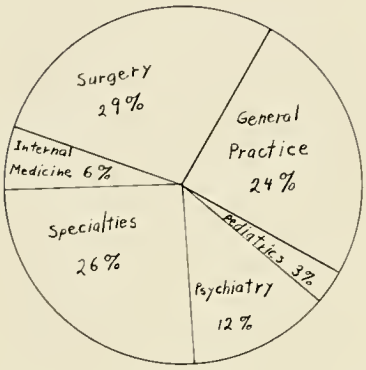


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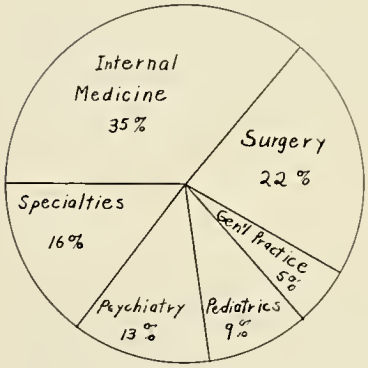


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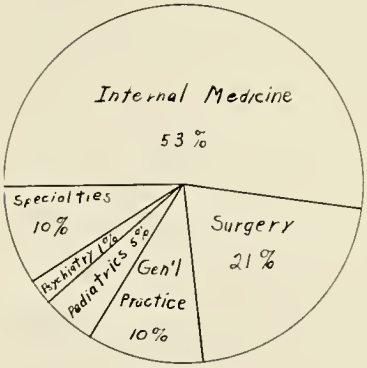


1955

"WHAT will you be doing ten or twenty-five years from now?" is a standard and nearly always unanswerable question put to graduating medical students by many internship examining boards. In order to obtain some idea of what *does* happen to P & S doctors, the Editors of the YEARBOOK sent questionnaires to members of the 1930 and 1945 classes. We received replies from one-third of the class of 1930 and from two-thirds of the 1945 graduates.

## VITAL STATISTICS

As in any good medical workup, we were interested in the Personal and Social History. At the time of their graduation, 10% of the 1930 class and 15% of the 1945 class were married. As the YEARBOOK goes to press, 40% of the present fourth year class are already married and another 6% are scheduled for the major operation in the near future. Long range follow-up shows that over 90% of the alumni in our survey are married.

## INTERNSHIPS AND RESIDENCIES

The rotating internship was the most popular with both classes: 56% of 1930 and 44% of 1945. In this year's graduating class, about 20% are taking a rotating. Many of the alumni who had taken straight or mixed internships indicated that, in retrospect, they felt a rotating internship would have been more valuable.

There was a significant difference between the two classes in the time spent in resident training. The average duration of hospital training including both internship and residency was three years in the 1930 class and 4.6 years in the 1945 class. In 1930 one-third of the class went into practice after less than two years of being on the house staff of a hospital, whereas only 5% of the 1945 class did the same.

## SPECIALIZATION

As you can see in the graphs, the most noticeable change was in the incidence of Internal Medicine and General Practice. A poll of our class shows that 53% are planning careers in Internal Medicine and only 10% intend to do General Practice. Incidentally, approximately 15% of both classes are in group practice.

About 75% of the alumni polled had decided on their field of medicine by the end of their internship. In our class, all but one student could tentatively indicate his field of interest. The per cent of students undecided about their medical futures decreases from 61% in the present first year class to about 40% in the second and third year classes, according to an informal poll conducted by the Editors of the YEARBOOK.

## HOSPITAL AFFILIATIONS

About 24% of the class of 1945 were engaged in a full time institutional practice as compared to 15% of the 1930 class. 75% of the 1945 alumni and 55% of the 1930 graduates have some affiliation with a teaching hospital. One-third of both classes are affiliated with university hospitals and many of these have professorial rank in either clinical or basic science fields.

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## P & S IN RESTROSPECT

The alumni were given an opportunity to include general comments on medical education in their questionnaires. As might have been predicted, opinions were profuse, heated, contradictory, and often illegible. However, a moderate degree of unanimity was achieved on the following topics.

The faculty was criticized for its lack of warmth and interest in the medical students and one eloquent M.D. stated that he received "not an iota of help in the whole Ivory Tower."

Many graduates objected to the college's overemphasis on *esoterica medica* and its neglect of the practical problems of patient care. Several commented on the fact that P & S does not teach the practical aspects of setting up a medical practice.

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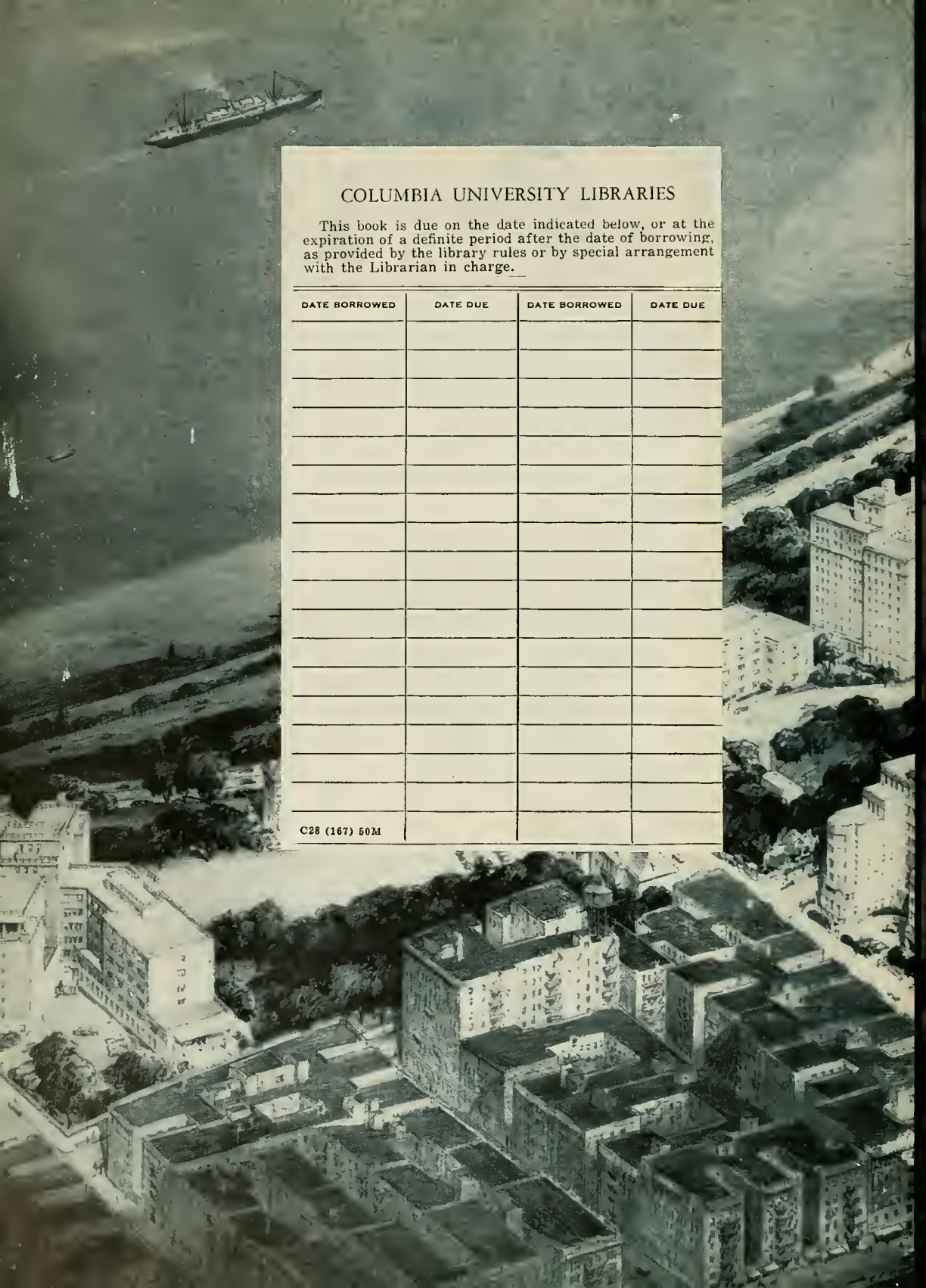


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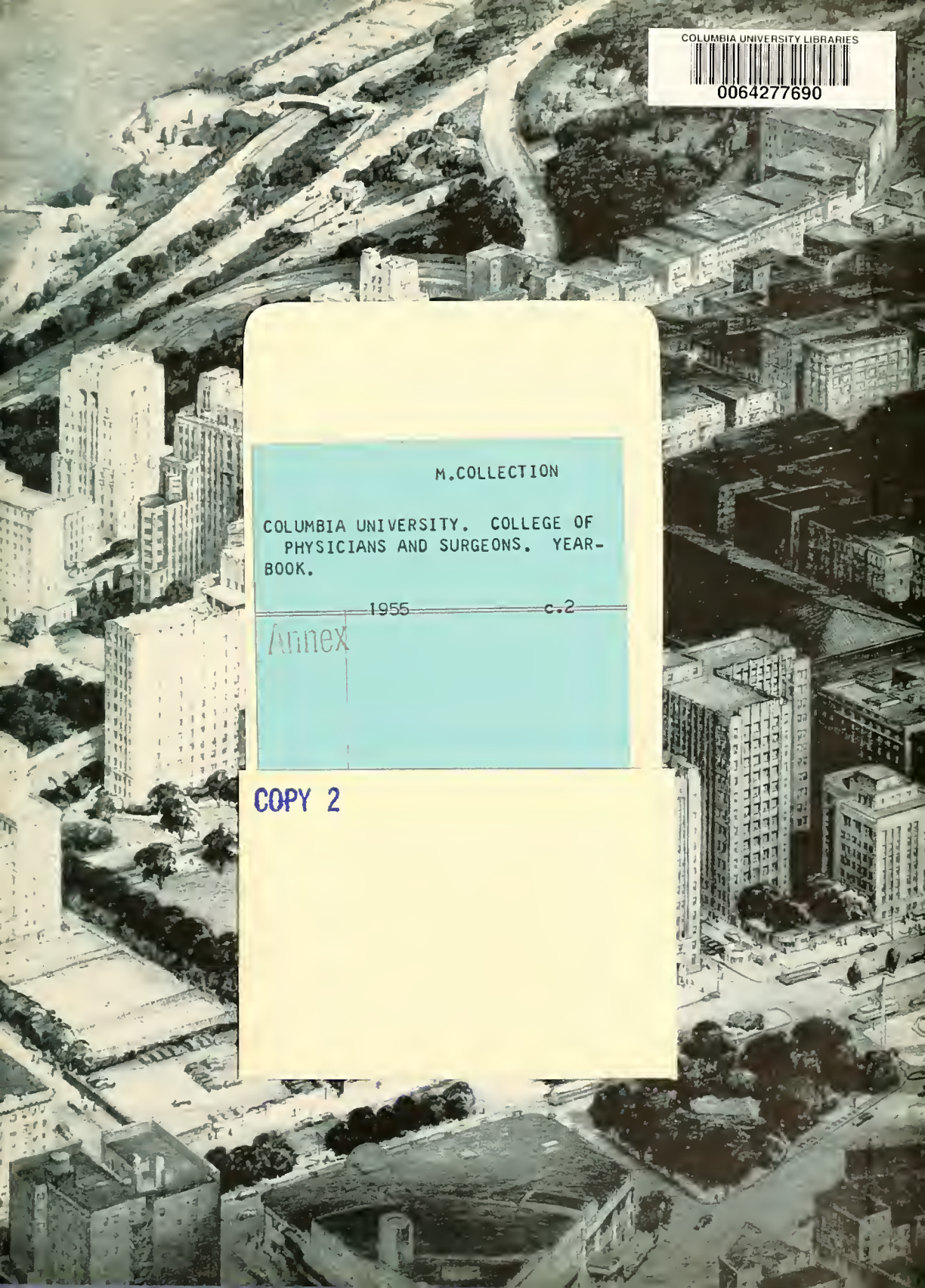

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